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1 House Resolution

2 A resolution honoring Chipola College student Kimberly
3 Garske, Florida's 2006 New Century Scholar.

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5 WHEREAS, International Honor Society Phi Theta Kappa is
6 recognized as the primary community college organization for
7 honoring academic achievement, leadership, and service, and

8 WHEREAS, Chipola College student Kimberly Garske, as the
9 top-scoring student in Florida on the 2006 All-Florida Academic
10 Team, a team of highly successful community and junior college
11 students assembled by the Florida Community College System,
12 clearly merits her designation as Florida's 2006 New Century
13 Scholar and, as such, has brought honor to the state by her
14 recognition in USA Today as one of the top 50 community college
15 students in America, and

16 WHEREAS, since 1998, Chipola College has had five New
17 Century Scholars, eight Guistwhite Scholars, and nine All USA
18 Today Academic Team members, with each of these numbers
19 including Kimberly Garske for the year 2006, and

20 WHEREAS, since 2002, Chipola College students, including
21 Kimberly Garske in 2006, have won five of the six Leaders of
22 Promise awards given in Florida since the award was established,
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24 WHEREAS, Chipola College's Kimberly Garske won four of the
25 five major Phi Theta Kappa awards: New Century Scholar,
26 Guistwhite Scholar, Leaders of Promise, and All USA Today
27 Academic Team, and

28 WHEREAS, the praiseworthy accomplishments of Kimberly

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29 Garske, outstanding member of Chipola's international award-
30 winning Phi Theta Kappa chapter, command the respect and
31 admiration of the House of Representatives and the citizenry of
32 this state, both for herself and her academic institution, NOW,
33 THEREFORE,

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35 Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of
36 Florida:

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38 That Kimberly Garske is congratulated for the attainment of
39 a truly remarkable academic record and is extended sincere
40 wishes for equally successful endeavors in the future.

41 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be
42 presented to Kimberly Garske and to Dr. Gene Prough, President
43 of Chipola College, as a tangible token of the sentiments
44 expressed herein.